for a consolidated account and special fund for publications within the Department of Economic and Community Development.

BY adding to

Article 41 - Governor-Executive and Administrative Departments

Section 257E(j)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Section 257E(j) be and it is hereby added to Article 41 - Governor-Executive and Administrative Departments, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 41 - Governor-Executive and Administrative Departments

257E.

(J) THE DEPARTMENT MAY ESTABLISH A CONSOLIDATED PUBLICATIONS ACCOUNT. EXCESS REVENUES REHAINING AT THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR, DERIVED FROM PUBLICATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OR ANY AGENCY IN THE DEPARTMENT, MAY BE PLACED IN THIS ACCOUNT. EXPENDITURES FROM THE ACCOUNT ARE RESTRICTED TO COST OF PRODUCING, DISTRIBUTING, AND PRONOTING PUBLICATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT AND AGENCIES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING THE COST OF PREE PUBLICATIONS. UNEXPENDED MONIES IN THE ACCOUNT AT THE END OF FISCAL 1975 AND ANY SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEAR SHALL NOT REVERT, BUT SHALL BE HAIMTAINED AS A SPECIAL FUND, UP TO A MAXIMUM OF \$25,000. ANY EXCESS OVER \$25,000 SHALL REVERT TO THE GENERAL FUNDS OF THE STATE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1975.

Approved April 22, 1975.

CHAPTER 362

(Senate Bill 826)